

# Second Generation Dual A/D Scale Card Installation

The Dual A/D Scale Card (PN 220027) provides two additional scale channels. The 1280 can support up to eight scales. The configuration of each scale is stored both on the card and in the indicators memory. The CPU board will rewrite the calibration to the A/D scale card if replacing or swapping installed cards.

There are two generations of scale cards, this document describes the second generation scale card. See [Table 1](#) for a comparison between scale card generations:

Card Generation	Channels	Card PN	Identifying Characteristics
First Generation	Dual	164683	green circuit board, slide switch, two scale channels
Second Generation	Dual	220027	blue circuit board, push button, two scale channels

Table 1. Scale Card Identification Information



Manuals are available from Rice Lake Weighing Systems at [www.ricelake.com/manuals](http://www.ricelake.com/manuals)

Warranty information is available at [www.ricelake.com/warranties](http://www.ricelake.com/warranties)

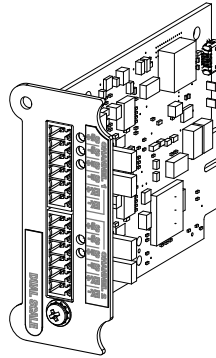


Figure 1. Dual A/D Scale Card Kit

The included parts kit contains items used for installation of the card. Items listed for shield-stud grounding pertain to the panel mount enclosure. See the 1280 technical manual (PN 167659) for more information on grounding the shield with the cord grip.

Part No.	Description	Qty.
14621	Nut, Kep 6-32NC HEX (used for stud grounding)	2
15130	Washer, lock No. 6 Type A (used for stud grounding)	2
153883	Connector, 6 position screw terminal (interface connector)	2
15631	Cable tie, 3 inch nylon (secures cable in panel mount installation)	4
53075	Clamp, ground cable shield (used for stud grounding)	2
94422	Label, capacity .40 X 5.00 (used with dual scale A/D scales)	2
171801	Ferrite core, snap on (clips onto the load cell cable)	2

Table 2. Parts Kit (PN 163784)

**WARNING:** Always disconnect power before opening the indicator. Option card is not hot swappable.

**CAUTION:** Use a wrist strap to ground yourself and protect components from electrostatic discharge (ESD) when working inside the indicator enclosure.

1. Open the indicator as instructed in the 1280 technical manual.
2. Remove a slot cover plate from the controller assembly to open a slot for the card.
3. Remove protective tape from pins J3 on the option card prior to installation. Make sure the pins are clean of any sticky residue by carefully wiping with rubbing alcohol.

**NOTE:** To use a 6-wire load cell cable (with sense wires), remove jumpers JP1 and JP2 before installing the card into the slot. To use 4-wire connections, leave jumpers JP1 and JP2 on. Remove jumpers JP3 and JP4 for 6-wire connections to J2.

4. Align the card to the slot; the screw hole in the faceplate of the card should align with the screw hole on the controller assembly.
5. Slide the card into the top and bottom grooves of the slot. Push the card until it is securely seated in the back plane.
6. Secure with screw 4-40 NC x 1/4 (provided).
7. Route the load cell cable through the cord grip before attaching the load cell cables to the scale card.
8. For Channel 1, wire the load cell cable from the scale to the connector (from the parts kit) for J1 as shown in Figure 2 and Table 3.
9. For Channel 2, wire the load cell cable from the scale to the connector (from the parts kit) for J2 as shown in Figure 2 and Table 3.
10. When connections are complete, install load cell connector on the A/D scale card.

**NOTE:** A sealing clip can be installed over the over the connector to provide a hardware seal that allows access while preventing removal of the scale card and connector.

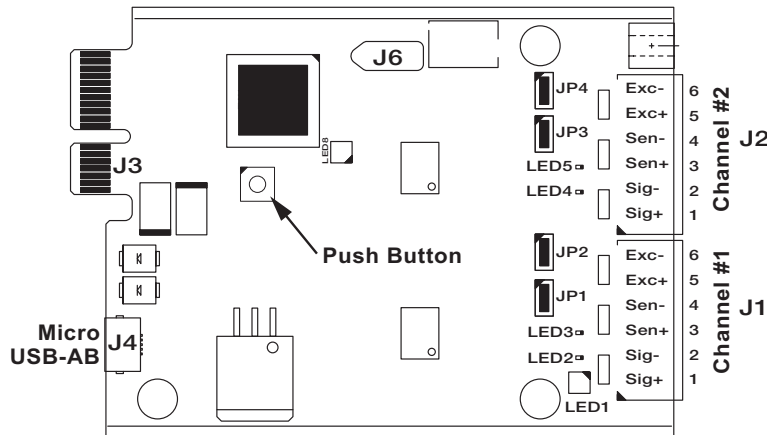



Figure 2. Second Generation Dual A/D Scale Card



J1/J2	Channel #1/Channel #2
Pin 1	SIGNAL +
Pin 2	SIGNAL -
Pin 3	SENSE +
Pin 4	SENSE -
Pin 5	EXCITATION +
Pin 6	EXCITATION -
* For 6-wire load cell connections to connector J1, remove jumpers JP1 and JP2.	
* For 6-wire load cell connections to connector J2, remove jumpers JP3 and JP4.	

Table 3. Pin Assignments



 **NOTE:** The slot of the controller assembly that is selected for the installation of the card will determine the scale channels that can be associated to a scale number.

Slot 1 = Slot 1 Channel 1Slot 1 Channel 2	Slot 4 = Slot 4 Channel 1Slot 4 Channel 2
Slot 2 = Slot 2 Channel 1Slot 2 Channel 2	Slot 5 = Slot 5 Channel 1Slot 5 Channel 2
Slot 3 = Slot 3 Channel 1Slot 3 Channel 2	Slot 6 = Slot 6 Channel 1Slot 6 Channel 2

Table 4. Associated Scale Channels

11. Use cable ties from the parts kit to secure loose cables inside the enclosure as needed. Ensure no excess or loose cable is left inside the enclosure.
12. Ground the shield cable using the ground washer in the metal cord grip, or use the grounding stud on the enclosure with cable clamp included in the parts kit. See the 1280 technical manual for more information.
13. Tighten cord grips. Ensure cord grip nut is also tight.
14. Reassemble and power the indicator.
15. Press  on the weigh mode screen. The **Main Menu** displays.
16. Press  for access to the Configuration menu.

 **NOTE:** Access to the Configuration menu may be restricted. Refer to the 1280 technical manual for more information.

17. To configure the scale channel, select  to enter the scales menu.
18. Select the scale number (1-8) to be configured from the selection field drop down list.
19. Select  and set the scale to **Analog Load Cell Scale**. The **Select Scale Hardware** screen displays.
20. Select the slot and channel to associate the available hardware for the scale being configured.
21. See the 1280 technical manual for calibration.

## LED Status Indicators

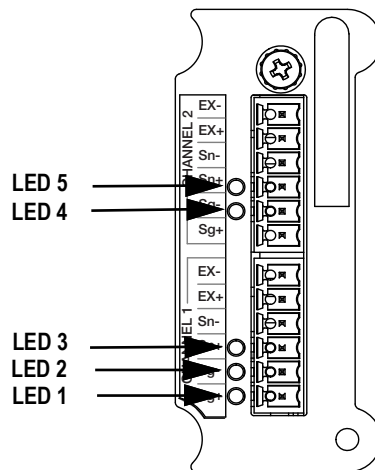


Figure 3. Dual A/D Scale Card Faceplate

LED	Status
1	Green flashing indicates card it is working. Red indicates it is faulty
2	Green indicates a load cell is connected and configured correctly on channel 1
3	Not used
4	Green indicates a load cell is connected and configured correctly on channel 2
5	Not used

Table 5. LED Status Lights

## Specifications

Excitation Voltage	10 ± 0.5 VDC, 16 x 350Ω or 32 x 700Ω load cells per A/D card
Sense Amplifier	Differential amplifier with 4- and 6-wire sensing
Analog Signal	
Input Range	-60 mV/V to +60 mV/V
Analog Signal	
Sensitivity	0.3 uV/grad minimum @ 7.5 Hz 1.0 uV/grad typical @ 120 Hz 4.0 uV/grad typical @ 960 Hz
A/D Sample Rate	7.5-960 Hz, software selectable
Input Impedance	>35 MΩ typical
Internal Resolution	8 million counts/8,000,000
Weight Display	1,000,000
Input Sensitivity	10 nV per internal count
System Linearity	±0.01% of full scale
Zero Stability	±150 nV/°C, maximum
Span Stability	± 3.5 ppm/°C, maximum
Input Voltage	
Differential	±800 mV referenced to earth ground
Input Overload	Load cell signal lines ±10 V continuous, ESD protected
RFI/EMI Protection	Signal, excitation and sense lines protected



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